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SUBJ: PETROLEUM REFINERY IN DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

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1. WE ASSUME TWO "KUWAITIS" MENTIONED REFTTEL ARE AHMAD SAYID OMAR, A KUWAITI BUSINESSMAN AND JAMAL S. SAMERAI, AN IRAQIM TWO MEN IN PARTNERSHIP AS JSS CO., SUBJECT WTDR (KUWAIT 1079 OF MARCH 9, 1975).
 2. WE UNDERSTAND THAT ABOUT 1969-70, OMAR SERVED BRIEFLY AS KNPC OFFICIAL. SO FAR AS WE KNOW, HE HAS HAD NO FORMAL ASSOCIATION WITH KNPC SINCE THEN.
 3. WILL PROVIDE MORE INFORMATION ON POSSIBLE KNPC INTEREST IN DOMINICAN REPUBLIC REFINERY AS AVAILABLE. HOWEVER, WE DUBIOUS THAT PROJECT HAS GONE VERY FAR BEYOND MESSRS. OMAR AND SAMERAI. UP TO PRESENT KUWAIT HAS IN GENERAL ESCHEWED DOWN-STREAM INVESTMENT IN REFINERIES.
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